The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I am writing to urge you to Not TO support the pending merger of EchoStar and HUGHES, the parent company of DIRECTV. Although I am not a DIRECTV customer, I believe the merger will make it difficult for anybody to have a choice of a selecting a different company.if this merger goes into effect it will leave the customer no choice of programming Via Satellite. please support our choice of choises we can make now as it will be injustice to the american way!!

I appreciate your consideration of my views

Sincerely,

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